

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE AND CANNABIS BOARD**

In the Matter of:)	
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Rooted Therapeutics DC, LLC)	Case No.: N/A
)	License No.: N/A
)	Order No.: 2024-570
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at premises)	
825 Upshur Street, N.W.)	
Washington, D.C. 20011)	

BEFORE: Donovan Anderson, Chairperson
James Short, Member
Silas Grant, Jr., Member

PARTIES: David Grosso, Counsel, on behalf of Rooted Therapeutics DC, LLC,
Petitioner

ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Rooted Therapeutics DC, LLC, (Petitioner) was previously an applicant for a medical cannabis license that scored 150 points or more during a prior licensing period during the 2021-2022 application cycle. *Mot. for Recon.*, at 1. Nevertheless, the Petitioner did not complete the application process and did not obtain a license. *Id.* at 1-2. The Petitioner claims hardship as the basis for the failure for various reasons. *Id.*

The Board considered the request but notes that the Petitioner has not provided any legal reasoning justifying a variance or any authority for the Board to provide the Petitioner with special consideration; especially, when any special exceptions for prior applicants receiving 150 points to change locations expired on May 1, 2024. D.C. Code § 7-1671.06(x)(1). The Petitioner is instructed to file a new application during the next open application period if it seeks licensure.

ORDER

Therefore, the Board, on this 14th day of August 2024, hereby **DENIES** the motion for reconsideration. The ABCA shall deliver a copy of this order to the Parties.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Board

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Pursuant to 22-C DCMR § 9723, any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Administration, Reeves Center, 2000 14th Street, NW, 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. Code § 2-510 (2001), and Rule 15 of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, any party adversely affected has the right to appeal this Order by filing a petition for review, within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Order, with the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 430 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration stays the time for filing a petition for review in the District of Columbia Court of Appeals until the Board rules on the motion. *See* D.C. App. Rule 15(b) (2004).